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VOLUNTEER TRAINING WORKSHOP HELD AT BETHEL

A day and a half workshop sponsored by the New England Conference of the American Association of Museums, the Maine League of Historical Societies and Museums and the Bethel Historical Society with a grant from the Maine State Commission on the Arts and Humanities was held in Bethel at the Moses Mason House Museum, April 22-23. The workshop was designed to provide small museums and historic houses throughout New England which rely on largely volunteer staffs with assistance in volunteer recruitment, training methods and support programs.

Activities on Friday were highlighted with an address by art historian Elizabeth Gilmore Holt who addressed the workshop on the subject "The Role of Community Participation and Volunteer Support in Shaping Our Culture." Dr. Holt emphasized the importance of cultural heritage and involvement by all segments of a democratic society. Following her presentation a panel consisting of Mrs. Millard S. Peabody, Chairwoman, Tate House, Stroudwater, Ellen Ender, Assistant to the Director, Portland Museum of Art; Stanley Howe, Curator, Dr. Moses Mason House, discussed their institutions' volunteer programs in a roundtable context. Successes were recorded in most cases, but there still remains the difficulties of continuous training and maintaining a constant supply of qualified volunteers.

A social hour and dinner were followed by a film "American Pictures to Serve the People" by Elizabeth Gilmore Holt which depicted the role of American lithography between 1830 and 1855 in the national experience.

Featured Saturday on the subject "New Approaches to Volunteer Training" was another panel discussion with Merrie Blocker, Director of Education, DeCordova continued on Page Four

AT VOLUNTEER TRAINING WORKSHOP

Left to right: Mrs. Millard S. Peabody, Chairwoman, Tate House, Stroudwater, Portland; Ellen Ender, Assistant to the Director, Portland Museum of Art; Stanley Howe, Curator, Dr. Moses Mason House.

WOODSTOCK REC. COMMITTEE TO HOLD REGISTRATION FOR SUMMER BASEBALL MAY 2

The Woodstock Recreation Committee will be holding a registration night on Monday, May 2, from 6 to 8 at the Bryant Pond Fire Station for all those interested in the summer baseball program. To be eligible, players must be eight years old before Aug. 1. This year there will be a small donation asked from each family.

Potential coaches will meet following the registration, from 8 to 9 o'clock.

S. A. D. #44 BOARD TO MEET MONDAY

The Library at Telstar Regional High School will be the location of a regular meeting of the M. S. A. D. #44 board of directors next Monday evening, May 2. Agenda items will include action on job descriptions for Supervisor of Buildings and Grounds, Supervisor of Transportation, and Supervisor of Hot Lunch.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY TO MEET
The Bethel Auxiliary of Rumbold Community Hospital will meet at the home of Mrs. Barbara D. Brown on Monday evening, May 2, at 7:30. Guest speaker will be Mrs. Amy Davis.

SATURDAY IS CLEAN UP DAY AT BETHEL LIBRARY

On Saturday, April 30 at 9 a. m. volunteers are asked to meet at the Bethel Library for a general cleaning of the grounds surrounding the building. No special talent is required, just bring your rake, lawn broom, wheelbarrow or shovel and it will make short work of a necessary spring time chore.

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HUNT'S CORNER CEMETERY ASSOC.

Annual Meeting will be held on May 12, 7:00 p. m., at the home of Arthur Wardwell in Albany.

Dance Party

Legion Hall, Locke Mills
Saturday, May 7, 1977
8:30 p. m. till 12 M.
Guests and members—B.Y.O.B.
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LOCAL SOCIETY TO OBSERVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION

The Bethel Historical Society will hear Mrs. Sally Rand, Cundy's Harbor, President of Citizens for Historic Preservation at its monthly meeting, May 5, 1977 at 7:30 p. m. in the meeting room of the Moses Mason House. Mrs. Rand will speak on the state of historic preservation in Maine including reference to specific case studies. The Smithsonian Institution film, "To Fly" which offers a panoramic history of America as expressed in terms of the development of transportation and man's movement across the continent will follow Mrs. Rand's address. This event will highlight the observance of the fifth annual National Historic Preservation Week to be designated May 8-14, 1977.

The theme of the week's observance will be "Historic Preservation: Enriching Century III." Sponsor of the week is the National Trust for Historic Preservation, a nonprofit membership organization chartered by the U. S. Congress to facilitate the public understanding of historic landmarks, sites and objects of national significance or interest.

In announcing the local Historic Preservation Week activity, Stanley Howe, Curator, Bethel Historical Society, stressed the importance of having historic landmarks. "Since 1933, one quarter of the more than 16,000 buildings recorded by the Historic American Buildings Survey have been destroyed or destructively altered," he declared.

Mr. Howe added that "we must recognize that part of our heritage is in the brick and mortar of past generations. We must act to preserve significant buildings associated with our history."

CONFERENCE OFFICIAL TO VISIT LOCAL CHURCH

The Rev. Carl F. Beyer, Associate Minister for Program Development of the Maine Conference, UCC, will be at West Parish Congregational Church this Sunday, April 30. He will be preaching at the 10 a. m. service and will lead a Leadership Development Workshop for the church in the afternoon. Lunch will be served after the morning service for those participating in the workshop which will last approximately four hours. Officers of the church, committee members and members, and others interested in the life of the church are invited to share in this fellowship and learning opportunity.

Mrs. Dorothy Abbott is reportedly recuperating satisfactorily following surgery at Maine Medical Center, Portland.

The second annual Boy Scout Snowshoe District recognition dinner was held in Rumbold, April 23. Those attending from Bethel were Mr. and Mrs. Randall Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Perkins.

Middle Intervale Cemetery Association meeting, Wednesday, May 4, 7:30 p. m. at the home of Richard Carter. All interested persons are invited to attend.

ANNUAL MEETING

East Bethel Cemetery Association
Monday, May 2 8 p. m.
Robert D. Hastings, Residence

Barn Sale

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Large Gray House
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Antiques, baskets, trunks, picture frames, calendars, souvenir plates, bedding, dishes. Many articles for camp or home.

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SECOND CHILD HEALTH CONFERENCE TO BE HELD FRIDAY, MAY 6

The second in a series of four Child Health Conferences planned for this spring is being held on Friday, May 6, from 9-11 a. m. at the Bethel Congregational Church. Dr. Vaden will be the attending physician. Any preschool child from two months of age through five years may attend and participate in any one of the following activities: 1. Physical examination; 2. Height, weight, blood pressure, simple urinalysis and hemocrit; lead screening test available if child is at risk; 3. Vision screening; 4. Hearing screening; 5. Growth and developmental questionnaire.

If you have a pre school child and would like to attend this Child Health Conference, please contact the Public Health Nurse, Kathleen Sutton, in Rumbold at the following toll-free number, 1-800-482-0702. She will set up a time and determine what immunizations your child may need, if any. The following immunizations are offered: DPT, Polio, Measles, Rubella, Combined Measles, the measles-mumps-rubella, and tuberculin skin tests.

DUO-HARPISITS TO APPEAR IN BERTLIN FRIDAY, MAY 4

Community Concert members are reminded of the concert in Berlin, N. H., on May 4. This will be the duo-harpisits, Longstreth and Escosa, in a concert of classical and contemporary music.



LAST DAY AT OLD LOCATION

Sian Fox is shown cutting the hair of Roland Walker last Saturday during the final day of business in the quarters where a barber shop had been located for at least 75 years in the Clukey Pharmacy building. Franklin Walker was his final customer Saturday. Mr. Fox opened for business today (Thursday) in the Annex of the Clukey building.

MEAT PIE SUPPER

First Congregational Church
Andover
Sat., April 30 5:30 p. m.

Is someone else drinking a problem for you? AL-ANON

Meetings every Wednesday night—8 p. m. in Bethel Savings Bank. Call 824-2233 or 824-2058 for information.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The Town of Bethel started this week issuing state automobile registration stickers. Re-registrations for cars, motorcycles, and pickups up to 6,000 GVW can now be obtained at the Town Office. New registrations, transfers, trailer registrations and registrations for trucks over 6,000 GVW must still be obtained from the Dept. of Motor Vehicles.

With the construction seasons now upon us, residents are reminded that appropriate building, electrical and plumbing permits must be obtained before construction takes place. Building permits can be obtained at the Town Office, Plumbing Permits from Sam Timberlake on Church Street, and Electrical Permits from David Myers on Paradise Road.

Summer Dump hours are now in effect. Hours are: Tuesday-Friday, 12 noon to 6 p. m.; Saturday, Sunday, 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. Closed Monday.

Spring Clean Up Day is next Monday, May 2. Public Works Department crews will be picking up waste materials in all sections of town on Monday beginning at 8 a. m. All leaves and grass should be in disposable containers and brush should be tied in bundles. Residents having waste materials weighing more than can be handled by two men, should contact Bob Davis, 824-2370, to make special arrangements.

The Board of Selectmen met Monday night April 25 and acted on a variety of items. A public hearing was held for a liquor license for Patricia Hudson and Susan O'Donnell d/b/a Mother's on Main Street. Mrs. Hudson and Mrs. O'Donnell presented their plans for operating the business. They indicated that it was their intention to serve soup, sandwiches, limited desserts, along with liquor, wines and beer. Full capacity would be about 60 people. Quiet background music would be provided, with no plans for dancing. The hours of operation would be from late afternoon to about midnight.

Several citizens were present in support of the license and they expressed the need for late night and week end restaurants and continued on Page Four

BETHEL RIFLE GUARD TO MEET MAY 4

The first evening meeting of the Bethel Rifle Guard for the season will be held, weather permitting, at the range on Route 2 on Wednesday, May 4, beginning at 8 p. m.

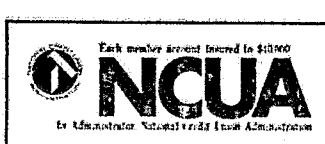
Members are urged to attend and have a chance to get the cobwebs out of their charcoal burners.

NOTED PHOTOGRAPHER TO VISIT GOULD ACADEMY

Michael Smith, noted photographer from Frenchtown, N. J., will be a visiting artist at Gould Academy next week, May 1 to 7. He will conduct a seminar showing discussion in the faculty room in Hancorn Hall beginning at 7:30 p. m. on Wednesday, May 4. Anyone interested in fine black and white photography is invited to attend and participate in the discussion.

BGW COMMUNITY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

The Board of Directors is pleased to announce that help from the Maine Credit Union League has enabled us to table the merger proposal and to expand our current services. Effective May 1, 1977, office hours will be held from 1 to 4:30 p. m., Monday thru Friday and 9 to 10 a. m., Saturday.



M. S. A. D. #44 BOARD MEETING HELD AT ANDOVER, MONDAY

The M. S. A. D. #44 board of directors held a regular meeting at Andover Elementary School on Monday evening of this week.

The board granted a request by Mary Newcomb to take her Crescent Park School fourth grade class on a field trip to the Penamquad-New Harbor area. The trip will coincide with a social studies unit on Maine as a fishing region. Plans are for the trip to include a visit to a fishing museum at Penamquad Lighthouse, to see equipment used in lobstering and dragging, and the type of lights used at an automatic lighthouse. Also included will be stops at a lobster wharf for an explanation of the caring of lobsters, Ft. William Henry, and Penamquad Beach to collect items such as seaweed, snails, mussels and driftwood. The trip is to be scheduled in either late May or early June.

The education portion of a study by the Bethel Planning Board was referred to the Policy Committee and the Buildings and Grounds Committee for joint action and reporting back to the full board their recommendations.

The superintendent was authorized to execute a bus lease agreement with the National Forest Service for three M. S. A. D. #44 vans. The vans have been requested for use in the Bethel Area Youth Conservation Corps summer program.

The directors authorized the sending of a representative to the Delegate Assembly of the State School Boards Association to be held at Little Hall, University of Maine, Orono, on Saturday, May 14.

Following an executive session, it was the board's decision to delay action on job descriptions for Supervisor of Buildings and Grounds, Supervisor of Transportation, and the Supervisor of Hot Lunch. The items will be included on the agenda for the May 2 regular board meeting.

There was a discussion of the apparent need of replacement of the baseball uniforms.

Following a review of the student selection process for Tolstar Driver Education program, it appeared to be the consensus that the seniors and juniors should have preference and that underclassmen (sophomores and possibly freshmen) be selected by methods other than alphabetical. Methods mentioned included selection by birth date and a "lottery" procedure.

Suplt. Kenneth Smith reported the receipt of a letter from Jay Langley expressing thanks for the opportunity to coach Alpine skiing the past season. Mr. Langley would welcome an opportunity to serve in the same capacity in the future.

Board members not present Monday evening were: Gerald Schachter, Andover; Charles Haegele and Margaret Wight of Newry.

WOODSTOCK ALUMNI TO MEET MAY 9

Woodstock Alumni Association will meet on Monday evening, May 9, at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Alice Hoyt, Bryant Pond.

MENU FOR SENIOR CITIZENS
May 3: Baked meat loaf with gravy, parsley potatoes, green peas, French bread, applesauce or diet fruit, milk.

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LUNCHEON SPECIALS SERVED DAILY

Newry

— Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Fraser are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at the Rumford Community Hospital, April 24.

Jonathan Dubey is a patient at the Rumford Community Hospital at this writing.

Barl Lane was home from the Veteran's Hospital, Togus, for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover, Buxton, spent the week end at their trailer.

Amy and Roger Hanscom have returned home after spending the winter at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greer and family, Brandon, Vt., have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Helen Morton. Mrs. Morton is now visiting the Greers for a few days before they move to Montana.

Recent callers on Louise Learned were Mr. and Mrs. John Greer and family, Brandon, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pugliese, South Portland and Vikki Learned, Rumford. Mrs. Learned visited Amy and Emily Cummings at Mrs. Elbert Tyiers Locke Mills, Wednesday p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Enman, Oldfield, called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flanders Sunday p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons, Bethel, called Thursday.

The Annual Business Meeting of the Union Religious Society of the Newry Community Church will be held at the Church May 2, at 7 p. m.

The Selectmen were in Augusta, Wednesday, April 20, to attend a hearing on L. D. 1129, a bill introduced by Rep. Karen L. Brown of Bethel. This bill would allow municipalities to be reimbursed up to 75% of their reimbursable loss under the Tree Tax Bill 90 days after July 1, in the year which the loss occurs. Under the present law, reimbursement for loss on 1975 and 1976 taxes would be made 90 days after the current session of the Legislature adjourns. Rep. Brown's bill would allow municipalities to be reimbursed 75% of their loss one to two years earlier than the present bill. Newry's reimbursable loss for 1975 and 1976 was \$17,775. The reimbursable loss for 1977 is expected to be over \$10,000. Rep. Brown and Chairman of Selectmen Roger E. Hanscom spoke in favor of the bill. There was no opposition at the hearing. While in Augusta the Selectmen transacted other town business with the Bureau of Taxation, the State C. E. P. and Department of Transportation. Many new laws on Tax Assessing have been passed in the past few years, which make it advisable for municipalities to assess taxes on a 100% assessment ratio and the Newry Assessors have decided to go along with this practice for 1977. They have nearly completed assessing land and will start assessing buildings next week. Last year the assessment ratio was 60%.

The Ed Josephson and family of Massachusetts were at their home on the week end.

Rev. Richard Barr took dinner at the Leroy Smiths Saturday.

Arlene Merrill cleaned for Geneva Charles Tuesday.

Carl and Edna Estes were at the farm this week. They are from Brunswick.

Phyllis Grayson, daughter Lyn, Mrs. Wood, Phyllis' mother, were at their cottage this week.

Mrs. Hulda Guerrette of Portland is visiting her brother and wife, Carroll Stearns and Florence.

Mary Fox and children called on her aunt, Pauline Smith this week.

The Mayflowers are out and I have heard the Baltimore Orioles in our maple tree.

Jack Bassett called to see Roy Smith Sunday.

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Greenwood City

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

The sparkling April days have been with us this week. The maples around the pond are wearing a touch of red polish, the first with their crimson flowers. Through a warm soft night or two buds swelled and burst. Some of the tree tops wear a mist of green in the morning sun. I'm now waiting for the grace notes of the white throat, and the falling, bell-like cadences of the thrushes. One evening we were excited by the high trilling of the peepers; old to rural Mainers, yet ever new.

This was a lovely sunny morning. Overhead, the sky stretched away in a sweep of cloudless blue. The distant mountain peaks stood

out like a dusky silhouette as the sun rose to bid them "Good morning" as they watched the panorama at their feet, patterned with sunshine and shadows.

Nevertheless, at six o'clock there was a little nip in the air to remind us that it is still early spring.

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Beyond a small pool, a chipmunk hurried over a bit of snow like a child drawing a yellow crayon over a sheet of white paper.

The ferns were noticeable; beginning to cut the earth with their tightly rolled fronds.

I walked up hill to where the brook-bank trees leaned toward one another, and touched their boughs above the waters flowing gently over the stones. I felt the deep soft padding on the ground. I smelled the aroma of the spruce and pine.

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On the sunlit surface of the pond floated a pair of wood ducks. I found the blood root and the hepaticas.

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Mrs. Lucy Bragg and son, Tommy, visited her mother, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Morris of Connecticut were recent guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bentley, Auburn, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Hayes, Hyde Park, N. Y., were at the Hayes

Homestead for the week end as were the other members of the Hayes family, all of whom have visited their uncle at the hospital.

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West Bethel

— Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Corres. —

The annual meeting of West Bethel Union Church will be held on Tuesday evening, May 3, at 7 o'clock at the church. Officers will be elected for ensuing year and other business transacted that comes up at the meeting.

The annual meeting of the Pine Grove Cemetery Assoc. was held on Tuesday evening, April 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and usual business transacted. The same slate of officers was elected to serve another year. Voted to have the cemetery fence painted. Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Onofrio did not wish to serve as caretakers this year. The Snyder girls, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Snyder will serve in that capacity.

Don't forget the meeting of Pleasant Valley Grange this Thursday evening, April 28. Meeting at 7:30. A 6 o'clock supper will precede the business meeting. This is as usual, a pot luck supper, so bring something for the supper if you wish to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mason are hosts.

The weather over the week end has been rather cold and rainy. Sunday temperature around 38° or 40° most of the day. Sleeted some after dark Sunday night. Reported snowed in Mason Sunday afternoon. Monday morning 32° and a little snow still showing on grass. Ground that had fallen during night, or very early morning hours in West Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis and Mrs. Clara Rolfe were in Gorham, N. H. on Wednesday of last week to visit Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Rolfe's sister, Mrs. Blanche Tyler. They found her feeling very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morse of Norway were visitors at Mrs. Clara Rolfe's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and I were in South Paris and Norway Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Snyder's children have been ill with chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leighton and sons, Toby and Jesse, moved in to the place on West Bethel Road, which they had recently purchased of the Edward Gordon's, on Saturday.

Mrs. Gordon (Catherine) moved in to the trailer home in Albany Saturday which she had bought after they sold the place in West Bethel.

Mrs. Grace Morrill has rented her place in Mason.

Randy and Ronald Gilbert, sons of Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert of Bethel, who have spent the winter working in California, are expected to come home and family in Medway, Mass. While there they like Maine better.

Mr. and Mrs. David Head and sons Jonathan and Jeremy have been on a vacation trip. They were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Thurston and family in Medway, Mass. While there they visited points of interest in Boston and called on Mr. and Mrs. Erlon Merrill in Weston, Mass. They toured Washington, D. C. and saw many interesting places there. They went to Shelby, N. C. and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Putnam and family for several days. They returned home late Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Gottig of Barre, Vt., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul and family on Sunday. They had just returned from Arizona where they had spent the winter.

Andrea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert, spent a few days last week in Westbrook with her aunt and uncle, the Janice Kennebec III. She enjoyed her visit with a trip to the beach on one of the warm days, attended the theater and went shopping. She returned home Saturday night.

Mrs. Alanson Lovejoy and baby girl returned home on Monday, April 19. Twenty month old Shane

South Woodstock

— Olive Davis, Corres. —

This has been a Grange week. The first one was at Franklin Grange in Bryant Pond, Monday, Tuesday, we went to Pleasant Pond, West Sumner, to a C. W. A. night with a lovely supper preceding the meeting and Saturday night was a meeting at Bear River.

A severe cold. Those that went reported a good social time. Thursday night we were at West Paris Grange open house.

Esher Davis called on Olive Davis Tuesday after the third attempt to find her home. I don't go that much but then that's when every-one call—when you are out a little while.

Vacation is over. School begins again this week for the last round up this year. Study hard and make showing in your grades.

We had a rainy week end. It was badly needed as the fire condition was 4 in the area.

The flicker has arrived in the fields this week. Probably there have been a lot of other birds that have arrived. I haven't heard the peepers but I hear some have, so I'll have to get out in the evening and listen.

Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Guyson Davis were Percy Jefferson and daughter Laura. Bethel and Bernice Davis and Erland Twichell.

Patricia Tibbets and two children took dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pike and Mrs. Mary Brown of Livermore called also. Mrs. Mary Brown will spend some time with her daughter, Olive Davis, Sunday afternoon.

Percy Jefferson and Laura Fogg called on Olive Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant called Saturday afternoon.

Stayed with his Great Grammie Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mason are making plans to move back to their home on the Bog road after spending the winter at their place in West Bethel village. They have kept the place on the Bog road open this winter and have spent some time there.

Dorothy West's family have been in Rumford several times this week to help on the West's new home.

On Thursday evening, the Cummings and Lovejoys attended an American Legion meeting at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bennett of West Paris and Frank Waterhouse were callers at Alanson Cummings' on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wiles of Mystic, Conn., brought his mother, Ann Wiles, of South Paris, to visit Mr. and Mrs. R. Cummings on Saturday p. m. Cathryn and Ellen Lovejoy joined them for cake and coffee.

On Saturday evening, Alanson and Fannie Cummings, joined Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dunham, Locke Mills, to attend the Dept. Commander's Testimonial Dinner in Livermore Falls. The American Legion State Head is Maurice Wagner. It was an exceptionally nice evening.

A belated birthday get-together for Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy was held Sunday. Mrs. Ray West decorated the beautiful birthday cake, and it was enjoyed by the entire family. A phone call was made to Alfred Lovejoy in Michigan and some pictures taken by her dad, Alanson Cummings.

Jimmy Westleigh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Westleigh, was a surgical patient this week at Mercy Hospital, Portland, where he had a tonsillectomy on Tuesday.

Lisa Westleigh and her great grandmother, Mrs. Frances Bennett of Bethel visited Thursday through Sunday with Lisa's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervil Curtis in Skowhegan.

STATE OF MAINE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Karen L. Brown

Governor Longley objected strenuously to a bill that he felt hamstrung the management of the Lottery Commission. This legislative approval for any expansion of the scope of the Lottery Commission's authority; for example, the Lottery Commission could take over the administration of beano games, as has been suggested, only if the House and Senate passed a law to that effect. Other provisions of the bill included an eight percent limit on the sales commission that stores receive for selling lottery tickets, and a requirement that the Attorney General approve any lottery advertising.

Longley is convinced that much of the criticism of the Lottery is undeserved and that this bill reflects the feelings of many of its critics.

Environmentalists squared off against representatives of industry over a bill allowing ordinary citizens to bring suit against polluters to court; a companion bill would restrict citizens from speaking out at Board of Environmental Protection hearings. The Natural Resources Committee, chaired by Senator Howard Trozky (Bangor), heard proponents argue that the average citizen could help search out polluters and increase public participation in government, while opponents countered that Maine's business climate would be severely chilled for fear of numerous "free-for-all" in court. Heated debate can be expected when this legislation arrives for debate on the floor of the House and Senate.

A major bill that has not generated the discussion and debate one might have predicted is the so-called "agency shop" bill. This bill would allow a state employee labor union to provide in its contracts that all persons in a bargaining unit must pay dues to the union or not. Union spokesmen argue that everyone must pay their fair share, as everyone benefits by union negotiations and union assistance in resolving work related grievances.

Wednesday was Welcome Back Day and several past governors and legislators came back to visit the State House.

I have been named to a sub-committee of the Public Utilities Commission.

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Mrs. Floribel Haines was in Rumford, Tuesday.

Jeff Hastings returned home Friday from visiting relatives in California over school vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Erlon Bean, Pamela and Penny, returned home on Sunday from visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Barnhill in Inglewood, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swan of Dixfield were Sunday visitors at the Bartlett Homestead.

Mrs. Judy Coolidge and Sarah, of North Bethel; Mrs. Daisy

mittee to hear bills that are energy related. Three members of the Energy Committee, Huber of Palmyra, Howe of South Portland and myself are involved in this sub-committee. L. D. 873 was the first bill to be considered by this sub-committee. It proposes to reduce the cost of electric utility services to customers by encouraging energy conservation through improvements in electric utility rate design.

The hearing for my bill on tree growth tax reimbursement received a hearing on Wednesday. It would provide municipalities with 75% reimbursement for the tax loss 90 days after the first of July in the year of that loss instead of the present law which allows reimbursement 90 days after the first regular session resulting in a lengthy delay.

"Thank you" to everyone for the cards, flowers, gifts and all other courtesies I received during my recent confinement at the Rumford Community Hospital. It was all greatly appreciated.

Reverend Carl M. Kington

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Mrs. Chester Harrington and Doris, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Remington in York, Thursday through Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks were in Portland Monday of this week, and on the way home visited Charles Frazer in the St. Mary's Hospital in Lewiston.

Mrs. Josephine Tyler and children, David and Daryl; Chris Russell, Marie Wilson and Kimberly; Mrs. Margery Dubois, Greg and Shannon, of Dixfield; visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cox Wednesday; and were luncheon guests.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Andre Bernier and children, Ryan and Danielle, of the Plattsburgh, N. Y., Air Force Base; Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Pelletier and children, Chad, Heidi, and Jody, of Manchester, N. H., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ochester Kimball this week. Mrs. Bernier and children will remain here while S/Sgt. Bernier finishes out his tour of duty.

There was a meeting of Alder River Grange #148 on Friday with 10 members present. Voted to give usual donation to National Grange Youth Leadership Fund.

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Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Ronald G. McKinstry
Organist, Miss Susan Hathaway
Administrative Board Chairman,
Richard L. Davis

Sunday:
10:35 a. m. Morning Worship.
Nursery during worship service.
10:35 a. m. Sunday School.
Wednesday:
10 a. m. Study Groups meet at the home of Mrs. Burton Abbott.

West Parish
Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel
Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor
Miss Mary Valentine, Organist

Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
Child care services available for parents attending church. Nursery class in Garland Chapel.
7 p. m. Senior High Youth Fellowship.

Wednesday:
8:15-4:15 p. m. Church School for Kindergarten-Grade 6. All are welcome.

Thursday:
7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal in the sanctuary.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Rev. Donald Smith, Interim Pastor
Reach out to Jesus — He is reaching out to you.

Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Sunday School in the downstairs chapel.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
6:00 p. m. N.Y.P.S.
6:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

Wednesday:
6:30 p. m. Bible Study and Prayer Meeting at the Church.
For transportation to any service, please call Mrs. Geraldine Malmura, 836-3354.

Our Lady of the Snows Church
Rev. Donald R. Froux
Saturday, 4:30 p. m. Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.
Rectory: 29 Paris St., Norway, telephone, 743-2606.

Chapel of Christ the King
Episcopal
Sundays at 7:45 p. m. Bethel Savings Bank.

Bethel Gospel Center
at the Odd Fellows Hall
Pastor Edward Gammon
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.

Monday:
Youth, Men's and Women's Groups, 7 p. m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study and Prayer Service, 7:00 p. m.

Locke Mills Union Church
Rev. David Wuori
Church services, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Lynwood Hanson, Pastor
9:15 Sunday School
10:30 Morning Worship Service.
6:00 Young Peoples' Meeting;
Junior Young Peoples', grades 4-7; Word of Life Club, grades 7-12.
7:00 Evening Service.
Wednesday, Choir Practice, 7:15; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church
Pastor: Elder William Menshausen
Saturday:
Sabbath School: 10:00 a. m.
Church Service: 11:30.
Prayer meeting: Tuesday evening, 7:30.

West Paris Universalist Church
John Coyle, Minister
Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist
Worship Service, 10 a. m.
Sunday School, 11 a. m.
L.R.Y., 6 p. m.

West Bethel Union Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Mrs. Harriett Stowell, Organist
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Sunday School, 9 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, 6 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7 p. m.
Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal, Friday, 6:20 p. m.

Community Church
(Full Gospel)
Interdenominational
East Andover Road
Rumford Center
Dr. J. Philip Jackson, Pastor
Wednesday, 7 p. m. Deeper Life Bible Study.

Saturday, 7 p. m. Prayer Meeting.
Sunday, 10 a. m. Worship. Holy Eucharist every Sunday.
7 p. m. Evangelistic and Healing.
"One Lord, One Faith, One Baptism."

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ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS will meet every Wednesday at 8 p. m. at the Casco Bank Community Room on Main Street — Call 878-8995.

Newry Community Church
Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a. m. Rod-ney Hanscom, Pastor, Robert Duncan, Plautist.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Youth Group meets Sunday at 1:30 p. m.

Spalding Memorial Chapel
Wilson's Mills
Rev. Delmer A. Parker, Jr.
Christian Worship Service, Sunday, 2 p. m.

Rumford Point
Congregational Church
Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Robert Parent, Supt. of Church School

Sunday, May 1:
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship with reception of new members.
10:30 a. m. Church School.
10:45 a. m. Church School.

Tuesday, May 3: After School—
Girl Scouts at Church; 7 p. m. Jr. Choir Rehearsal; 7:30 p. m. Sr. Choir Rehearsal.
Wednesday, May 4: After School—
Brownies at Church.
Troop #509 B. S. A. at Church.

OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH
Peter Parent, Pastor
Albany Congregational Church
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
East Stoneham Congregational Church
9:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

North Waterford Congregational Church
Sunday:
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a. m. Church School.

Faith Bible Church
Rumford Corner
Pastor, Bob Colby
Preaching the Finished Work of Jesus Christ.

Calvary Congregational Church
Andover, Maine
M. Lester Strout, Pastor
Miss Beverly White, Pianist
Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible-centered lessons; Classes for all ages; Adult class.
Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.
First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ

Rev. David Wuori
Pastor
Linda Burnham, Organist
Harriette Saurer, Music Director
Eleanor G. Tracy
Church School Superintendent
Bertha Summerton
Assistant Superintendent

Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Sunday School through Grade 9, 11 a. m.
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal, 10 a. m.

Wednesday: Ladies' Aft meets, 1:30 p. m.
Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, May 1: Subject—Everlasting Punishment. Golden Text: Isaiah 59:1—Behold, the Lord's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save.

First Church of Christ Scientist, corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m., and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years. The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

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2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p. m.

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Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.
Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p. m.

Tuesday:
Relief Society (Woman's Organization) 9 a. m.
Primary (3-12 year olds) 6:45 p. m.
M.I.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p. m.

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SHOWN ARE MEMBERS of Miss Newcomb's fourth grade class of Crescent Park School who entertained their parents and friends with a program at the Moses Mason House meeting room on Thursday evening, April 14. The program began with three short plays. The first play was "The Wolves and the Sheep" with Jonathan Head, Michael McGuire, Kristy Angeline, Linda James, Stephanie Fuller and Rita Collingwood. The second play was "The Miller, His Son and Their Donkey" with Todd Kellogg, Jon Ness, Linda Lowe, Becky Hatstad, David Bennett, Mike Roberts and Shawn Smith. The third play was "The Shoemaker Turned Doctor" with Jonathan Merrill, Joe Ryerson, Brian Gould, Shari Cole, Shawn Smith and Stacy Witter. The plays were followed by singing and square dancing.

PIANO STUDENTS
PRESENT PROGRAM
Piano students of Mrs. Donald Brown recently presented a program featuring the music of Bach, Beethoven and Brahms. Sharon Daye, Carolyn Roy and Sondra Greenleaf gave brief reports on the three composers. Awards were given as follows to the winners of a Special Projects Contest, which ended April 8: Elementary, Carolyn Roy, Katherine Swain and Brandon Salway, Jr.; Sr. High, Kassi Salway, Sharon Daye and Sondra Greenleaf. Others taking part in the program were Michelle Angeline, Jimmy Gorman, Sandra MacKay, Rachel Mills, Julie Daye, and Nancy Cummings.

Hanover
Pam Morton, Corres.
The Cadette Girl Scouts rented the Hebron Academy Swimming Pool for a swim party last Friday. Each girl invited two friends to go along, and they all had a picnic at Snow Falls on the way home.

Robert Brown returned Sunday from a two day trip to Iowa, where he attended a horse auction. Raymond Chase is home from the University of Maine this week end.

The Warren Stearns family returned Sunday from an eleven day trip to South Carolina to visit relatives. Mrs. Gladys Bartlett took care of their home in their absence.

Everyone enjoyed the week long school vacation, especially with the nice weather.

Mrs. Malcolm Gross and Bill, Dean, Laurie and Jason, went to Connecticut from Tuesday to Friday to visit relatives.

SCHEDULE FOR FREE FUTURE ANALYSIS CLINICS ANNOUNCED
There will be posture analysis, spinal hygiene, blood pressure and eye, ear, nose and throat examinations given on May 3, 1-4 p. m., Mexico Congregational Church; May 4, 1-4 p. m., Fryeburg American Legion; May 5, 1-4 p. m., Bridgton Congregational Church; May 6, 1-4 p. m., Norway Universalist Church; May 7, 8-11 a. m., Bethel Congregational Church; May 7, 1-4 p. m., South Paris Congregational Church.

These taking part in the exams will be brief on the importance of posture in relationship to good health and cause and prevention of disease.

This free clinic, sponsored by the Oxford County Chiropractic Association, will be open to the entire family.

The doctors in attendance will be Dr. Barry Mendelson of Paris and Dr. Stephen Garbarini of Bethel.

For further information please call either 743-6608 or 824-3331.

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ELEANOR GORDON GUILD
The Eleanor Gordon Guild met Wednesday evening, April 20, at the home of Gena Wight, East Bethel, with eight members present. The meeting was opened by the president, Betty Perkins, and devotions were led by Judy Barker. Reports were read by Betty Blake, treasurer, and Mary Dooen, secretary.

The next meeting will be the Mother-daughter Banquet on May 18 at 6:30, the place to be announced. Each Guild member will furnish a hot dish and salad for the banquet.

Frances Saunders presented an interesting program of games which included a silent auction and match-it game.

ANNUAL FATHER-SON CAKE BAKE AND AUCTION FOR PACK 566 HELD TUESDAY

On Tuesday night Pack 566 held its annual Father-Son Cake Bake and Auction. A total of 20 cakes were on display for the esteemed judges, Ruth Grover, Eleanor Brooks and Steve Chandler who had a very hard time selecting the winners. The tallest cake was a yellow school bus made by Willy Rice and, you guessed it, his bus driving Dad Burnie. The funniest was a hobby horse of many colors baked by Scott Korhonen and his Dad, Phil. Most original winner was a fantastic aircraft carrier launched by Scott Sumner and his Dad, Al. Finally, the best design award went to Brent Batchelder's VW super beetle that he and his Mom concocted in their kitchen body shop. After the judging each cake was auctioned off bringing in a total of \$143.50 to help send the boys to Camp Boma-zeen in July. Prices ranged from \$3.00 to \$16.50 for a cake that was sold twice. It was a lot of fun for a good cause.

Two Cubs received scouting awards from Cubmaster Al Barth, a Wolf Badge for Danny Cathcart and a Silver Arrow for Bruce Barth. All the Cubs received a Patch, to wear on their uniform, representing the fact that Pack 566 is 100% Boys Life. In addition they also received a paper bag "genius kit". In the bag is an assortment of dowsels, nails, a board, golf tee, 3x5 card, strings, screw, paper clip, ice cream stick, and a pipe cleaner. Each Cub is to make something for the May 31 Pack meeting using only the things in the bag plus glue and paint. Pack 566 would like to thank Davis Mill, Western Maine Supply and Hanover Dowel, and the Bethel IGA for their contributions to the kits.

The next activity is a swim at the Hebron Academy pool on Saturday, May 14. Cubs and their Dads will meet at the A. & P. parking lot at 11:30 a. m. Each Cub should bring a bathing suit, towel, and a permission slip for him to go swimming. He should wear his uniform and bring lunch money as they will stop for lunch in South Paris.

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA ANNOUNCES SCHOLARSHIP
The Zeta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society will again award a \$200 recruitment grant (scholarship) to a woman in the field of teaching.

Applications are limited to students who have satisfactorily completed at least one year of college and who reside in S. A. D. 17, 21, 43, 44 or in Rumford.

Applications may be obtained from Mrs. Mabel Kennett, Box 381, Bethel, Maine 04217.

LOCKE MILLS
Mrs. John Mills, Corres.
A pot luck supper will be held on Sunday, May 1, at 6 o'clock at the Locke Mills Sunday School Annex. Everyone is invited and asked to bring something for the supper.

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TOWN MANAGER'S COMMENTS

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wished to encourage free enterprise. Questions about the adequacy of parking and police protection in the area were discussed with one resident voicing opposition on these factors.

Following considerable discussion, the Board approved the license application by a unanimous vote.

Newry Selectmen Roger Hanscom, Steve Wight, and Wilbur Wight then joined the Bethel Selectmen to discuss a problem with the location of the Bethel/Newry Town Line. It was decided to have the Bethel Town Manager and Selectman Stanley Howe seek additional information on the history of the problem. Another meeting is to be scheduled as soon as this information is available.

The Board considered eight backhoe proposals as presented by the Town Manager. Upon the recommendation of Manager Ness and Foreman Robert Davis it was voted to purchase a 1976 John Deere 302A backhoe and a three foot cemetery bucket from Warren S. Abbott Inc., Rumford.

Parking on Main Street was discussed with the Manager and Highway Foreman pointing out a number of hazardous situations. Board voted to hold a public hearing on May 9 to review the situation especially around the areas of the Town Office and the Post Office. Additional information will be in next week's column.

In other action, the Board signed a quit-claim deed for Wilder and Alice Abbott. The Board appointed Sarah Stevens as a member of the Community Safety and Law Enforcement Committee and Herbert Lyon, Colleen Boyd, Danny Davis, and Elizabeth Lord as members of the Budget Committee.

The Town Manager reported that he and the Highway Foreman had reviewed the Bird Hill Road at the request of Don Taylor who had inquired about the possibility of the town doing winter maintenance beyond the cemetery on Bird Hill. Town road officially ends at the cemetery. The Town Manager had reviewed this request and the Board voted to follow their recommendation.

A letter from the Radio Study Committee was received requesting that the Selectmen include an article in the warrant for the upcoming special town meeting to purchase of two-way FM radios for highway department vehicles. The Board voted to place this in the warrant.

The Board discussed the summer maintenance of parks and cemeteries and voted to have one of the CEPA employees in the highway department do the work this summer with the aid of a summer youth program participant if available. This person would care for the Common Park and the West Bethel Flat, Steam Mill, Bartlett, Chandler Hill and Bird Hill cemeteries.

The Board approved the purchase of vehicle stickers for using the landfill area, set a tentative date of May 31 for a special town meeting and proclaimed the week of May 8-14 as National Historic Preservation Week.

On Tuesday night, April 26, the Airport Advisory Committee met to outline work activities and the Board of Assessors met Wednesday night, April 27, to continue assessing field work. The Assessors will hold their regular monthly meeting Monday night, May 2, at the Town Office.

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UNITED METHODIST WOMEN TO MEET TUESDAY, MAY 5

The May meeting of the United Methodist Women will be at the home of Mrs. Eleanor Parsons on Tuesday, May 5, at 1:30. Members should note that this is a change of location from the original plans.

Mrs. Adeline Dexter will be in charge of the program. Mrs. Dorothy Abbott, who is a surgical patient at Maine Medical Center, Portland, will be remembered by friends with a shower of cards.

CARD OF THANKS

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Jackson-Silver Post and Unit, Locke Mills, met April 21, with a good attendance. Commander Cleveland Lovejoy announced an All-Time high in membership for the 21st year.

The ladies accepted two new members, Carman Bartlett and one week old Angela Mea Lovejoy, granddaughter of Commander and President Lovejoy. Constance Tripp is also a recent member.

Nomination of officers was held and plans set in motion for Memorial Day, May 30. Poppy Chairman Vera Cross announced May 20 as Poppy Day and 5 year old Angela Jordan was named Poppy girl for 1977.

Being sent to Girls State at Huxson College in Bangor is Paula Mills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mills of Bryant Pond. David Clements will represent the Post at Boys State at Orono.

Sick cards were sent to Bob Farrington, Donald Whitman and Oscar Johnson. Secretary Grace Smith said Easter lilies were delivered to Clara Jackson at Ledgeview and Marion Jordan.

County President Sylvia Dunham held her April meeting on the 19th in West Peru. In May it will be on the 17th in Rumford.

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(Bethel Emergency Ambulance & Rescue Service)

Item 1: B.E.A.R.S. members Esther Sweetser, Lynn Bristol, and Victor Bernier are scheduled to complete the E.M.T.A. (Emergency Medical Technician Ambulance) course in May.

Item 2: So far only nine calls this month. Glad to have it this way. When the ambulance is quiet, we know all is well.

Item 3: The search for more volunteers for ambulance duty is still on. It adds up to a mighty few doing a big job. So if you get satisfaction out of helping other people, we need you.

Item 4: B.E.A.R.S. member Rodney Hanscom, Jr., who has been on the disabled list, has recently been able to return to work. We look forward to the day he'll be back on our roster.

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MUNDT-ALLEN UNIT #81
The Mundt-Allen Unit #81 held their regular meeting Tuesday evening, April 26. It was opened in presiding. Twelve members and six officers answered the roll call. An audit committee of three was appointed, Jeri Brooks, Josephine Tripp and Stephanie Thurston. The next meeting is on the agenda for May 6 at Newry. Report of Guatemala was given by Arlene Bean in the absence of chairman Iola Forbes who was unable to be present. Iola prepared it. A donation will be sent to help out the victims of the earthquake.

It was voted to remember the deceased members with plants. There are 22. A donation will be sent to Gorham, N. H., in memory of Mabel O'Brien.

Josephine Tripp gave the sick list: Robert Mills, Lincoln Merrill, Herman Merrill, Iola and Danny Forbes, and Laura Imman. Installation of officers is on the agenda for the May 10 meeting. White dresses are in order. All outstanding bills are to be paid.

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Upton

Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. - Friends of Clayton Thompson spent the week-end at the Thompson camp.

Steve Powers and Leslie Robertson of Newry are cutting poplar on the town lot on Mill Hill. They are assisted by and using equipment owned by Philip Korhonen.

Albert Blais returned from Canada where he has been receiving treatment for his back which he had injured recently. He is still in some pain and discomfort although it has eased much.

The grammar school children are enjoying a vacation this week. The high school children had a school vacation last week.

Mr. Kenniston of Bethel is cutting poplar and brush on Elsie Douglass' property. This will increase her view and add to the looks of her home place.

Leslie Aron entertained her brother Wayne and his family over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Aron Sr. have as guests her brother and two children and their youngest son, John.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Charron spent the week at Hiawatha Homestead with five of their children. They returned Sunday to Rhode Island with the Larson children.

Ryan and Danielle Bernier spent the week with their grandparents, Andrew and Flossie were overnight guests Saturday. Melanie Stosser of Farmington, Phil Korhonen and family of Newry, Annie Arthur and Eric of Farmington were among the set-spell guests at Berniers during the week-end.

Betty Scholz and daughter of Dover, Mass., was in town accompanied by her parents and sister. She visited several friends.

Tilly and Leslie Aron and Arline Bernier attended the Extension meeting at the Archie Post residence in Newry Monday night.

Roland Leclerc and George Laflour of Berlin have been to their camps checking on recent break-ins.

We had a week of summer followed by dustings of clean white snow on the green and brown grass. It was a lovely sight as Spring snow always is.

Mother and daughter banquet is scheduled for May 6 at Newry. Upton ladies are invited and requested to bring a covered dish.

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Mrs. Lucy Mailloux of Blue Hill, Maine, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Miller of South Andover. She also called on Mrs. Edna Perkins at the Dixfield nursing home.

Mrs. Russell Hilton and two children spent this week with her mother, Mrs. Eva Bodwell and visited other relatives.

Mrs. Ann Bishop and Mrs. Marion Coolidge have been working this week at the Post Office while the Postmaster, Mrs. Head, was on vacation.

Mrs. Edna Hilton and son, Lance, of Kittery, have been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Ismay Mechem, and Mrs. Agnes Porter and Mrs. Grace Simmons for a week.

Roger Mills Sr. is a patient at the Rumford Community Hospital. Graydon Campbell is a patient again at Central Maine Medical Center, Lewiston.

Charles S. Cutting and Theodore Reed were dinner guests of their parents Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting and Mrs. Beatrice Dresser.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cutting of Dover, N.H., were dinner guests Thursday of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting.

Mrs. Beatrice Dresser entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting Saturday, April 23 to celebrate Mrs. Cutting's birthday.

On April 22, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cutting attended the Pythian Banquet at Rumford at the Legion Hall.

Mrs. Dwight Hutchins had a housewares party Sunday April 24 at her home on the Upton Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston and sons, Danny and Jon, were in Topsam visiting the Clinton Matthews family, Sunday.

On Wednesday, April 20th, the Ladies Aid of the First Congregational Church of Andover met at the C. E. Building at 1:30 p. m. They re-covered and tacked two down filled puffs. A get well card was sent to Roger Mills, St. Alma Hwy and Dolly Jones served the refreshments. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, May 4, at 1:30 p. m. at the Christian Education Building.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kerschner (the former Frances Dresser) of Wellsley, Mass., are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first son, on April 23. He has been named Charles Dresser. He joins two sisters, Lisa and Beth, and grandfather, Everett Dresser.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Anair of Greene were week end guests of Mrs. Marion Mansfield.

Mrs. Bernice Glover had as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Anderson and sons, Louis and Joel, of West Buxton, Maine. Also Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Glover and infant son, which is Mrs. Glover's fifteenth great grandchild.

The Greeters and Flower Committee for the month of May for the First Congregational Church are as follows: May 1, Harriette Saurat and Karen; May 8, Shirley Pihl and Lisa; May 15, Minnie Akers and Kayne and Karen Swan; May 22, Trudi and Leon Akers and family; May 29, Gerry and Howard Marston.

The First Congregational Church was the scene of The Service of Installation for The Reverend David E. Wuori, pastor of the First Congregational Church, Andover, and the Locke Mills Union Church, Locke Mills, April 24. Prelude: Call to Worship, Rev. Sewell Hayes; Hymn, "Our God Our Help"; Invocation and The Lord's Prayer; Locke Mills Choir; Scripture Lessons, Isaiah, 61:1-7, Richard Melville; 1 Timothy 4:6-16, Ralph Summerton; Quartet, "Creative Praise," "My Savior's Love"; Charge to the Congregation, Rev. Carl Kingsbury; Solo, "Bring Back the Springtime," Mrs. Marion Mayblom; Charge to the Minister, Rev. John Haverinen; The Covenant of Installation, Mrs. Esther Cooper; Prayer of Installation, Rev. Felix Mayblom; Hymn, "O Master Let Me Walk With You"; Benediction, Rev. David Wuori.

Participants in the service: Rev. Sewell Hayes, Chairman, Church and Ministry Committee, Oxford-Union Association; Richard Melville, Deacon, Locke Mills Union Church; Ralph Summerton, Deacon, First Congregational Church of Andover; The Quartet, Judith Mayblom, Miriam Mayblom, Joyce Poussard, Sally Small; Rev. Carl Kingsbury, minister, Rumford.

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Guest speaker at the morning service at the Baptist Church was Gideon Walter Brooks from the Bangor Camp. The evening speaker was Mike Robinson who talked about Japan and showed slides.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring, Saturday, and Donna and Alan, returned home with them after spending their week's vacation with their grandparents.

Next week on Wednesday, May 4, is the Food and Rummage Sale at the Grange Hall put on by the Daughters of Veterans. It starts at 11 a. m.

The Woodstock Senior Citizens will meet on Thursday, May 5, at 11 a. m. at the Town Hall, with the Woodstock Alumni putting on the lunch at noon. There will be a game party in the afternoon and each one is asked to bring prizes for it.

Don Whitman is a patient at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

visited his sisters, Mrs. Marian Arsenault and Mrs. Muriel Kimball in Norway Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bancroft attended a bridal shower for his grand niece in Waterford, Sunday. William Bancroft was on the Stephens Memorial Hospital on Monday for several tests.

Some of the grandchildren of Mrs. Jennie Perkins of Gorham, N. H., are spending a few days this week with her.

If your spirits are low, do something; if you have been doing something, do something different.

The board of directors of the Songo Cemetery Association held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Ralph Kimball Monday evening.

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Kathy Bennett, Corres.

This has been a dreary rainy week and the rain was certainly needed as the forest and grass fire danger was getting very high.

The lawns and fields are becoming very green and the trees are showing the first signs of green leaves.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Andrews having arrived home from Florida. They had Sunday dinner with his mother, Sarah Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Merrill of Bethel, called on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Inman one night last week.

Norman Crockett was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns one day last week. Other callers during the week were Mike, June and Shelly Inman.

Friday dinner guests of Albert and Elma McAllister were Albert and Elma's children.

Sunday callers of Alice and Arthur Wardwell were Mr. and Mrs. James Knights.

Callers at the Barton Farm Saturday night were Roger and Ewette Barton and children. Mrs. Margaret Barton and Jeff visited in Parsonsfield one day last week.

School vacation usually lives up the activities here at K-D's Acres. Dave and Dan each spent a few days visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Twitchell.

Doug celebrated his second birthday on Wednesday. On Friday night we had a birthday party for Doug and Dave as Dave has a birthday next week. Those attending were Kay and Roydon Billings, Eva and LaForest Twitchell, Chris Twitchell and Elton Cole, Dick and I and the boys.

Callers during the week were Margaret Barton, Brett and Jimmy, Hugh Stearns, Flo Cairns, Harold and Annie Nutting, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warrington, Jane and Katy and Ralph Warrington Sr.

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Magalloway & Wilson's Mills

Mrs. Bertha West, Corres.

It rained practically all night Saturday night and all day Sunday and this Monday morning we got up and found about two inches of new snow, the evergreen trees were all white, really looked like a winter wonderland.

The school children are back to school today after a weeks vacation.

They are putting a new roof on the covered bridge. They have put a lot of braces on. I hope the wind and weight of snow won't be able to take this roof as it did last winter.

Bertha West spent a week in Milan, keeping house for her daughter while they were away.

Mr. and Mrs. Burman Francis of Norway spent the week end at their camp and he varnished his living room floor before he left.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bennett, Wendy and Steve and friends of Rumford, were at their camp Saturday in town.

Helen Hart has returned home from East Hartford, Conn., where she spent the winter with her niece.

The Roy Edwards family and Cheryl Kenney family are all having bad colds.

The regular meeting of Aziscoos Grange was held Saturday night at their hall with a good attendance.

Ilsa McGinley was up to her summer home one day last week, after being gone all winter. She expects to be here for the summer soon. She is learning to drive her own car now.

The roads are real good for this time of year, and the smelters are really taking advantage of it. They tell me to be taking the ban off the road in another week so pulp trucks can haul.

Thomas Hardy is in Becket, Mass., as a friend of his, Jerry Bergeron, got hurt real bad with a skidder accident.

Mrs. Helen Hart who spent the winter in Hartford, Conn., returned home Sunday for the spring and summer months.

School is closed for vacation in Magalloway and Wilson's Mills.

Bertha West has been in Milan keeping house for her daughter, Florence Bales, while they were away for a week and returned home Wednesday.

Cheryl Kenney was in Rumford on business Thursday.

The high school students from Magalloway returned to their school in Fryeburg Sunday after a week's vacation.

The frogs are peeping at night, a sure sign that the smelts are running.

We still have large patches of snow around the edges of the field.

Donald at the Grange Hall in North Waterford Sunday afternoon.

Stanwood Nelson and helpers have started work in the cemeteries.

Winston Andrews is in the hospital for treatment.

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Gilead Women's Club

MET TUESDAY, APRIL 19

The Gilead Women's Club met on Tuesday, April 19, at the home of Freda Gaudreau on the Bog Road, Gilead.

A report was given on the trip to the Shrine circus in Lewiston and it seems a very enjoyable time was had by all. There were 51 attending in all. The ladies in the club wish to express their appreciation to the Bethel Shriners who again this year, donated enough tickets for them all! Also a special thanks to Laurence "Lonnie," Davis for driving the bus again.

Old business was taken care of. It was decided to get started on the library again so it can be opened this spring. Any member who may have some time to help out please call Anita Ferrand. Also the sick committee would like people to let them know whenever someone in Gilead is hospitalized. Please call Lise McLain, 836-3224, or Bev Corriveau, 836-2192.

There was discussion held on the possibility of having an annual Easter egg hunt, also an idea of collecting several recipes and making cookbooks to sell.

The next meeting will be on May 17 at the school house at 7:30 p. m. This will be an important meeting. It is an extension meeting, the subject is dried flowers, pick or grow your own. The leaders will be Anita Ferrand and

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West Greenwood

Carolyn M. Colby, Corres.

Gertrude Harrington, North Berwick, Roy Cummings, Bethel, and Maude Harrington, visited Mary Fuller in Sabattus, Sunday.

Leslie and Marc Moore visited Russ and Judy Andrews of Shelburne, Sunday. Russ and Judy visited the Moore's also.

Gloria Wilson was out to Alden and Irene Wilson's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Record and family, visited the Maynard Records in North Fryeburg, Sunday.

Zip and Muriel Gilbert, went to New Hampshire Saturday.

Muriel has an orchid cactus that has a little pink blossom. Quite a rarity it is said.

Louisa Croteau expects to arrive in Maine on the 30th.

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MRS. SHIRLIE C. KEENAN

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She was born in Freeman, Maine, Feb. 18, 1901, the daughter of Lewis and Alice Dolbler Chadwick and had resided in Berlin and Gorham since her marriage to the late Charles Keenan. Mrs. Keenan was a member of St. Kieran's Church, Berlin.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Barbara MacDougall, Bethel; a son, Robert, of Bellingham, Wash., and four grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial is being celebrated this Thursday morning at St. Kieran's Church, Berlin, with interment in Calvary Cemetery.

ORIN W. MASON

Orin W. Mason of Bryant Pond died late Monday night, April 25, 1977, at the Rumford Community Hospital where he had been a patient the past two weeks.

He was born at Bethel, June 21, 1895, the son of George and Annette Churchill Mason. He was married to the former Marion Besse in 1929. Mrs. Mason died July 27, 1953. Mr. Mason was a long-time employee of the Lewis M. Mann and Son Woodturning Factory prior to retirement in 1960. He had also been caretaker for cottage owners on Lake Christopher. He was a former member of Fraternal Lodge, K. of P., Bryant Pond.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Annie Kimball, Locke Mills, and Mrs. Edna Webster, South Portland; and a brother, Fred, of Locke Mills.

Funeral services are being held this Thursday afternoon from the I. W. Andrews and Son funeral home, South Woodstock, with interment at Lakeside Cemetery, Bryant Pond.

J. LEON PACKARD

J. Leon Packard Sr., of the Paris Hill Road, South Paris, died Friday, April 22, 1977, at the C. M. M. C., Lewiston, following a long illness.

He was born at Auburn, Oct. 2, 1908, the son of James H. and Hazel Jordan Packard. He attended Sumner and Buckfield schools and was married to the former Velma Hanscom, Lyndon Center, Vt., Sept. 4, 1934. The family moved to South Paris from West Paris in 1964. He was employed as a saw filer at the Penley Bros. Clothspin Factory in West Paris for 16 years. Later he worked at Wiscasset. Prior to his retirement in 1972, he was employed as a watchman at the A. L. Stewart Co., South Paris.

He is survived by his widow, and a son, James L. Jr., of South Paris; six brothers, George, Detroit, Mich., Carroll, Leeds, Maine, Minn., Frank and Ernest, both of Bethel; two sisters, Mrs. Louise Dodge, Lewiston, Mrs. Alura Dudley, South Paris; and a grandson.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Ivan Hatch at I. W. Andrews and Son funeral home Sunday afternoon. Interment was in Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.

MRS. EDNA H. BRIGGS

Mrs. Edna H. Briggs, of West Paris, died Tuesday, April 26, 1977, at an Augusta hospital following a long period of failing health. She was born at North Lovell, March 17, 1905, the daughter of Fred and Agnes Allen Harriman. The family moved to Norway when she was a young girl. Mrs. Briggs attended Norway schools and had employment for a time in a Norway shoe factory. She was married to Marshall Briggs in 1940.

Surviving are her husband of West Paris; and a sister, Mrs. Alice W. Davis, Norway.

Graveside services will be held at 1 p. m. Friday at the North Lovell Cemetery.

GORDON EARL LATHROP

Gordon Earl Lathrop, 67, of DeLand, Fla., former DeLand Sun News compositor, died Thursday, April 14, 1977, and was buried without services in DeLand Memorial Gardens Thursday afternoon at his request.

Mr. Lathrop was apprenticed to the printing trade in Taunton, Mass., at the age of 14 and completed his career as master printer at Stetson University in 1972 after 50 years service in the trade. Previous to coming to DeLand in 1948, he owned and edited the Madison Bulletin, in Madison, Maine. For several years in the 1930's he was employed by the Bethel Citizen. He was a past governor of DeLand Lodge 1126, Loyal Order of Moose.

Mr. Lathrop is survived by his wife, the former Beulah Burris; two brothers, Roger and Lesley, both of Vancouver, Wash.; two sons, Kenneth of Orlando and Ralph of Springfield, Mass.; and seven daughters, Mrs. John Sneed of Orlando; Mrs. Virgil Hudson of Aviano, Italy; Mrs. Robert Waters and Mrs. William Gould, both of DeLand; Mrs. Edwin Brock of Calahan; Mrs. John Cardascia of New Haven, Conn.; and Mrs. B. Wayne Williams of Sarasota.

ESTES G. YATES

Estes G. Yates, age 93, died at his home at Sunday River, Bethel, on Wednesday morning, April 27, 1977.

Born at Greenwood, March 11, 1884, he was the son of Gilbert and Laura Emmons Yates. He was educated in Greenwood schools. He married Eva Hayes, Sept. 12, 1914, at West Paris. His family moved to Bethel from Woodstock in 1948. Mr. Yates was a farmer and woodsman. He was a former member of Franklin Grange, Bryant Pond and the West Paris IOOF.

Survivors include his widow of Bethel; four sons, Lawrence of West Paris, Carroll of Golden, Colo., Russell and Bryce, both of Bethel; three daughters, Mrs. Lina Blake of Bethel, Mrs. Viva Whitman of Norway, Mrs. Laura Hutchins of East Andover; 22 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, April 30, at 1 p. m. at the I. W. Andrews and Son funeral home, South Woodstock. Interment will be at Middle Intervale Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Bethel Emergency Ambulance and Rescue Service, c/o Arlene Greenleaf, Bethel, Maine.

S. A. D. 44 — WEEK OF MAY 2

Monday: Meat patties and gravy, mashed potato, carrots, frosted cake, bread and butter, milk.

Tuesday: Turkey and gravy, mashed potato, green beans, chocolate chip cookies, bread and peanut butter, milk.

Wednesday: Hamburg in home made bun, cheese slice, corn, tomato juice, peaches, milk.

Thursday: Turkey and gravy, mashed potato, green beans, chocolate chip cookies, bread and peanut butter, milk.

Friday: Hot dog, French fries, stewed tomatoes, brownies, mixed breads and butter, milk.

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MARGUERITE D. ERVIN

Marguerite D. Ervin of the Old Danville Road, Auburn, died at her home, Friday, April 22, 1977. Born at Woodstock, Oct. 31, 1905, the daughter of Dana O. and Martha Kimball Dudley, she was educated in Woodstock Schools and at Gorham Normal School.

She married Leroy Ervin who died in 1959.

She moved to Auburn in 1970 after living in Marlboro, Mass. She was a member and deaconess at the United Baptist Church in Lewiston and member of both Auburn and New Gloucester Senior Citizens. She belonged to the Danville Grange and the Jefferson Chapter, O. E. S., Woodstock.

She is survived by three sons, James of Auburn, Dudley of Indianapolis, Ind., and step-son, Earl of Corinna; six grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

BORN.

In Rumford, April 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Fraser of Newry, a son.

DIED.

In DeLand, Fla., April 14, Gordon E. Lathrop, formerly of Bethel, aged 67 years.

In Lewiston, April 22, J. Leon Packard of South Paris, aged 68 years.

In Auburn, April 22, Marguerite D. Ervin, native of Woodstock, aged 71 years.

In Lewiston, April 24, Mrs. Matilda Miclon, mother of Raymond Miclon, of Buckfield, aged 79.

In Rumford, April 25, Orin W. Mason of Bryant Pond, aged 81 years.

In Franconia, N. H., April 26, Mrs. Shirlee C. Keenan of Gorham, N. H., aged 76 years.

In Augusta, April 26, Mrs. Edna H. Briggs of West Paris, aged 72 years.

In Bethel, April 27, Estes G. Yates, aged 93 years.

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MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY KICK-OFF MAY 14

Sharon and Julie Daye will participate in the Muscular Dystrophy Kick-Off at the Maine Mall, South Portland on Saturday, May 14.

Their booth will feature over 40 different toys, canvass wood carriers and tote bags, handmade by the Dayes.

A 28 inch Panda Bear will be raffled on May 14, 100% of ticket sales to be donated to Muscular Dystrophy.

The Panda Bear and a selection of toys are on display at the Casco Bank, Bethel. Ten percent of all profit from the sale of toys from now through May 14 will be donated to Muscular Dystrophy. Anyone wishing to make donations to Muscular Dystrophy may call the Dayes at 824-2419.

Bethel and Vicinity

Mrs. Barry Crommett, Jay, spent the day Monday with her sister, Mrs. Daniel Davis, Karen and Heather.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith, Dorchester, N. H., have been recent guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Packard.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown and Kurt spent the week end in South Portland as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whittemore and daughter Sandra.

Mr. and Mrs. George Packard of Detroit, Mich., called here by the death of his brother, Leon, spent several days, guest of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Packard.

Miss Debra Mundt was guest of honor at a surprise bridal shower on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Wendy Rice. Many friends and relatives, including several from out of town, attended. Following opening of the gifts a social evening was enjoyed. Miss Mundt and Danny Wheeler have announced plans for an early summer wedding.

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SCHOOL-TO-WORK TRANSITION PROGRAM LAUNCHED IN 21 AREAS

Seven additional areas, including M. S. A. D. #44, have joined a national program of local initiative to help young people bridge the gap between school and work. Secretary of Labor Ray Marshall has announced.

A total of 21 designated areas will share \$888,874 earmarked by the Department of Labor for one-year programs starting April 1.

The areas and the amounts allotted for each are: Mesa, Ariz., \$50,000; Oakland, Calif., \$50,000; State of California (Industry Education Council), \$26,750; Chicago Heights, Ill., \$40,000; East Peoria, Ill., \$39,990; Lexington, Ky., \$40,658; Bethel, Maine (M. S. A. D. #44), \$35,000; Worcester, Mass., \$42,420; Gratiot County, Mich., \$38,140; Livonia, Mich., \$39,999; Buffalo, N. Y., \$40,000; Jamestown, N. Y., \$43,000; New York, N. Y., \$50,000; Martin County, N. C., \$45,000; Portland, Ore., \$49,752; Erie, Pa., \$43,165; Philadelphia, Pa., \$50,000; Charleston, S. C., \$40,000; Sioux Falls, S. D., \$40,000; Seattle, Wash., \$45,000; Wheeling, W. Va., \$40,000.

The allotments for Mesa, Oakland, Gratiot County, and Worcester had been announced earlier.

The National Manpower Institute of Washington, D. C., recommended these areas for inclusion in a Work and Education Consortium as part of the Federal Work Education initiative.

The initiative's strategy is to support and encourage local activities that create linkages between education and work, to review federal regulations and policy to reduce barriers to youth employment, to improve dissemination and use of occupational and career guidance information, and to help focus research, demonstration, and pilot projects.

The National Manpower Institute, the National Alliance of Businessmen, and the American Association of Community and Junior Colleges have joined efforts to create a network of community colleges concerned with work-education issues.

REV. WUORI INSTALLED AS PASTOR OF CHURCHES IN ANDOVER AND LOCKE MILLS

Rev. David E. Wuori who has pastored the First Congregational Church of Andover and the Locke Mills Union Church of Locke Mills since November of 1976, was installed as their pastor and teacher in an impressive service on Sunday, April 24.

Rev. Wuori was educated in the public schools of Hingham, Mass. In 1963 he received the B. A. degree in sociology from Eastern Nazarene College, Wollaston, Mass. He was graduated from Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary with a master's degree (M.Div.) in 1968.

Prior to accepting this call Rev. Wuori was pastor of the Elm Street Congregational Church in Fitchburg, Mass., from 1967-1976. He has a wide background in youth and summer camp work and served last summer as director at Camp Clear, South Carver, Mass.

Rev. Wuori enjoys reading, classical music and all aspects of skiing. He and his wife, Evelyn, are parents of three children, Steven, Barbara and Lisa, and make their home at the parsonage on North Main Street, Andover.

THE ROTARY CLUB PLANS AUCTION

The Rotary Club of 1 started the collection drive third annual auction sale chairman Bill Conary as residents to keep this during spring cleaning have any items to please drop them off Head's barn on Vernon call Dr. Shaw at 824-21 range for a Rotarian to ap.

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